

Driver's License Renewal Machine Press Conference
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MDPS

(NOTE: Commissioner Simpson wants you to demonstrate the process on the machine on site. This will give you a duplicate license. The instructions are in your file.)

- Mississippi is the first state to utilize the driver's license renewal machine manufactured by L-1 Identity Solutions.
- The kiosks will eliminate the need to stand in line waiting for face-to-face contact to replace or renew driver's licenses.
- A new photo is taken at the kiosk, and users are allowed to verify information on their driver's license and pay for the renewal/replacement.
- Each machine has facial recognition technology to protect against fraud or identity theft.
- Six more of the machines are scheduled to be operational by Christmas. In addition to the kiosk at MDPS, the machines will be online in Jackson, Tupelo, Olive Branch, Hattiesburg, Gulfport and D'Iberville.
- These machines will help the Department of Public Safety deliver this essential service more effectively and efficiently, which ought to be a goal of every state agency.
- I'm proud of Commissioner Simpson and his outstanding staff for making this project a reality.